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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121

This Response is filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 16, 2004. Applicants believe that the following amendments and remarks places the application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.